
LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2026, 5:00 P.M.

Chairperson Theresa Presley presided and convened the regular meeting of Nevada Library Board of Trustees on Monday, September 21, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. at the Nevada Public Library, 631 K Avenue, Nevada, Iowa. The agenda was posted on the official bulletin board in compliance with the open-meeting law.

The roll was called indicating that the following named Trustees were present and absent. Present: Emma Cassabaum, Joshua Peschel (via zoom and left at 5:28 p.m.), Theresa Presley, Jennifer Sloan, and Teresa Wheelock. Absent: Priscilla Gammon (arrived at 5:04 p.m.) and James Woodard.

Others in attendance were Interim Library Director Julie Ungs, and Donna Mosinski.

Motion by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Jennifer Sloan, to approve the agenda as posted. The roll being called, the following named members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Sloan, Wheelock, Peschel, and Presley. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

There was no one present who wished to address the Board at this time.

Motion by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Teresa Wheelock, to approve the following consent agenda items as submitted:

- (1) Approve **minutes** of the August 17, 2026 regular meeting
- (2) Approve minutes of the August 27, September 2, September 8, and September 11, 2026 special meetings
- (3) Approve September 2026 **claims** totaling \$10,740.08 (see attached list)
- (4) Accept and place on file the Director's **memo** dated September 21, 2026
- (5) Accept and place on file August 2026 financial report

The roll being called, the following named board members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Wheelock, Peschel, Presley, and Sloan. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

Motion by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Jennifer Sloan, to accept Library Director Agreement. The roll being called, the following named members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Sloan, Wheelock, Peschel, and Presley. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

Priscilla Gammon arrived at 5:04 p.m.

Joshua Peschel had requested a change of start time for the October and November meetings. He has decided to attend meetings via zoom for the next two meetings.

Staff has been receiving Dorothy Heintz memorial donations and the family has requested that large print books be purchased with the funds.

Julie reviewed Microsoft 365, administrative access, and if it was worth the monthly charges.

Interim Library Director Julie Ungs reported on:

- They have a new volunteer.
- Patton Park's sunshade has lost a pole again. Staff will be trying to get it down for winter.
- The teen area was painted; furniture will be rearranged soon.
- They have received yearbooks from 7th Day Adventist and Acorn that will need to be digitized.
- There will be social services programs the second Thursday of the month starting October 8.
- The library received a donation of \$941.69 from the Norma Jean Warner Trust.
- The new Director will be starting part-time on October 12 and full-time on November 2.

Joshua Peschel left at 5:28 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Priscilla Gammon, to **adjourn the meeting**. The roll being called, the following board members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Gammon, Presley, Sloan, and Wheelock. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried. At 5:32 p.m. she adjourned the meeting.

ATTEST:

Priscilla Gammon, Secretary

Theresa Presley, Chairperson